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Attorney Docket No. 12636-219**

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Application No.: 09/976,468)	Confirmation No.: 9964
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For: Composition And Method For Treating Graft- Versus-Host Disease)	Client No. 021971

AMENDMENT UNDER C.F.R. §1.114

M/S RCE
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Introductory Comments:

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to the Examiner's Final Office Action mailed on September 22, 2004 and Applicants' telephone interview with Examiner Patrick Lewis, Ph.D., on January 28, 2005. Reconsideration of the above referenced application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.